



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: PEYTON W. HALL ET AL.

Filed: MARCH 6, 2002

For: A CHEMICALLY AND BIOLOGICALLY RESISTANT HYDRATION
SYSTEM

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Examiner: PATEL, NIHIR B.

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 28, 2009

This paper is submitted in response to the office action dated October 28, 2009. Please reconsider the application in view of the following remarks.

A two-month extension of time is submitted herewith. If the extension is missing, please consider this paper to be a request for such extension and deduct any required fee from deposit account 10-1205/TRIA:005.

This is the seventh office action in this. The office has changed its position multiple times during these proceedings. This application was filed over eight years ago. Applicant respectfully urges the examiner to pass this case to allowance expeditiously.